

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Bernard R. Ador      Examiner: Chin-Shue, Alvin C.  
Serial No.: 10/023,485      Group Art Unit: 3634  
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Docket No.: 225P10US01  
Title: PERSONAL SAFETY DEVICE FOR A VERTICAL ROPE

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed May 13, 2003, said period of response being extended from June 13, 2003 to July 13, 2003.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$110.00 to Deposit Account 500549 to cover the required extension of time fee for a large entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: 07/09/2003

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One mos.*